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Title: The Minister of State in the Ministry of Tourism laid a statement regarding status of implementation of the recommendations contained in the 172nd Report of the Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture on the "Development of Tourism in North-Eastern Region", pertaining to the Ministry of Tourism.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRI SULTAN AHMED): Sir, I beg to lay the statement regarding action taken by the Government on the Recommendations of the Department related Parliamentary Standing Committee on Transport, Tourism and Culture contained in its 172nd Report on the "Development of Tourism in North-Eastern States".

The Action Taken Report in respect of the recommendations contained in the Report of the Committee had been sent to the Rajya Sabha Secretariat on 18th January, 2012 and 03rd February, 2012 in English and Hindi respectively.

The present status of implementation of various recommendations made by the Committee is enclosed along with annexures as per this Statement, which is hereby laid on the Table of the Rajya Sabha / Lok Sabha. I would not like to take the valuable time of the House in reading out all the contents given in the attached enclosure. I would request that this may be considered as read in the House.

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